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COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

As a below named inventors, hereby declare that:

TYPE OF DECLARATION

This declaration is for a utility patent application.

INVENTORSHIP IDENTIFICATION

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below, next to my name. I believe that I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter that is claimed, and for which patent is sought on the invention entitled:

TITLE OF INVENTION

DOUBLE CONFOCAL SCANNING MICROSCOPE

SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION

The specification

- is attached hereto.
 was filed on _____ and has U.S. Application Number _____
and was amended on _____

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information, which is material to patentability as defined in 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56.

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